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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL commencement of Gonzaga College with be held in Tallmadge Hall WEON ESDAY, June 23th, a: 8 e'clock p. m. Friends of the institution are respectfully invited to attend. I. O. O. F.—Officers and members of the GRAND LODGE and of COLUMBIA LODGE. No. 10, are requested to meet TO-MOR-ROW (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to attend (in carriages) the funeral of Brother P. G. SIMEON MEAD. (1t) THE COMMITTEE.

POTOMAC FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION.—The Mary Washington will make two trips TUESDAY NEXT, July 24, to Mount Vernon Spring (at 10 and 4:30), where the Association will convene at 2 o'clock and give a general Fruit Exhibition, open to all competitors, An essay by Dr. Howland will point the discussion, which will be an open one. Theme: "What we don't know about F. uit Growing." Fare to the general public, 50 cents. je25 6t [kep] J. E. SNODGRASS, Sec. GLORIOUS REVIVAL AT HOME

camp meeting progressing with marvelous powers in the Gospel Tabernacle, 12th st. s.e., conducted by toy preacher. Rev. THOMAS HARRISON. Revival this night at 7:45. MISS JULIA CORSON, Superintenden of the New York Cooking School, will lecture on TUESDAY EVENING. June 25th, at 8 o'clock, at the Labor Exchange, 904 Pearsylvania avenue, on the subject of Training Schools for Cooking Admittance free. ie24-2t\* ery. Admittance free.

TAX-PAYER3.—Only thirty days from June 20th is allowed under the recent act of Congress in which to file claims for the revision congress in which to the claims for the revision and correction of PECIAL IMPROVEMENT TAXES, assessed against any property since August 10, 1871. All bills are entitled to revision. Particular attention given to these claims, and taxes paid at lowest rates, by JOHN MORKIS, 225 415 st., (formerly of J. C. Lay & Cc.) je22-6. IMPORTANT TO TAX-PAYERS.

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[ie22 4: ROB'T. P. DODGE, Treasurer, D. C. [Herald, Chronicle, Capital & Gazette, 1t. Rep., Post, Standard, Critic & Journal, 3c.]

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY TAX
NOTICE.

For the accommodation of persons living in and around Washington and owing TANES to Prince George's County, Md., I will be at Messrs. JACK-SON BROS. & CO., Pennsylvania avenue, on MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, Jone 24 25 and 26, for the purpose of teceiving same.

WM. S. JARBOE,
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stock-holders of the ANACOSTIA AND POTO-MAC RAILWAY COMPANY for the election of Directors will be held at Room 1. St. Cloud Building, on MONDAY, July 8th, 1878. Polls open from 2 to 4 p.m.

By order of the President. H. A. GRISWOLD, Sec.

THE NATIONAL SAFE DEPOSIT COM-PANY, corner 15th and New York ayenue, receives Trunks of Silverware and other valuables on deposit; also rents Safes. Its vaults are burglar, fire and damp proof. Charges moderate, hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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THE EVENING STAR.

Washington News and Gossip. GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS To-DAY .- Internal revenue, \$278,554.21; customs, \$352,929.23. THE SUBSCRIPTIONS to the four per cent. loan

to-day amounted to \$61,500. AT THE CABINET SESSION to-day, whic lasted two hours, all the members were present except Attorney General Devens. Most of the time was devoted to routine business. The appointment of an engineer commissioner for the District was discussed but not decided. Postmaster General Key submitted telegrams, showing that the United States mails had been seriously interfered with by the Indians, now in revolt in the northwest.

PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT.-The Presi dent to day appointed Edward H. Morrison, of New Jersey, register of land office at Walla Walla, Washington territory.

AMONG THE CALLERS at the White House to-day were Justice Swayne, Delegate Kidder, and Representative Ketcham. ATTORNEY GENERAL DEVENS went to his home in Boston, Mass., last Saturday. He will

WANTED BY THE POTTER COMMITTEE .- Gen. Lew. Wallace and Gen. John Little, of Ohio, has been summoned before Potter's committee with reference to the Florida branch of the

return to Washington on Monday morning

REPRESENTATIVE BLACKBURN is ill at his rooms with a slight stroke of paralysis. He had expected to leave to-night for New Orleans. as a member of the sub-committee to visit Louisiana, but it is doubtful whether he will be able to do so.

THE FIGHT over the marshalship for the western district of North Carolina was terminated yesterday by the President ordering the reappointment of Col. R. M. Douglass, the preseni incumbent.

GOV. BROWN'S CHECK -Secretary Sherman has again sent to ex-Gov. Brown the check the latter insisted upon leaving with the Treasury department to defray his expenses as a Louisiana commissioner. This will end the matter for the present.

IF THE DOORKEEPER of Potter's committee would be less careful in giving away the regular and numbered seats of regular reporters to outsiders, and more careful in keeping them, he would confer a favor on the profes-

SENATOR B. K. BRUCE, of Mississippi, was married last evening at Cleveland, Ohio, to Miss Josephine B. Willson, of that city. The couple will sail on Wednesday for Europe, from New York.

THE FOLLOWING BIDS were opened at the Interior department for ice: Great Falls Ice Company, 281/2 per 100 pounds; Co-operative, 316: Independent, 35: G. Follansbee, for Kennebec Ice Company, 48.

THE EIGHT HOUR LAW .- Attorney General Devens will not prepare his opinion on the eight hour law (referred to him by the President) until his return from Boston on Monday

THE HOT SPRINGS COMMISSION,-At the Cabinet meeting to-day the omission in the enrollment of the sundry civil appropriation bill of the important part of what related to the Hot Springs, Ark., was a prominent sub-ject of discussion. As a result of the debate, the Secretary of the Interior sends the following communication to the late commissioners of the Hot Springs:

"Gentlemen: The President directs me to request you, as the late Commissioners appointed under the act of Congress approved March 3d, 1877, to settle the conflicting claims to a portion of the Hot Springs reservation, in the state of Arkansas, and for other purposes, to take charge of the records of your proceedings under the said act and to proceed to the consideration of the testimony in all these cases in which testimony was taken in relation to the rights of the respective claimants to any part of the Hot Springs reservation, and to perform such work as may facilitate the early adjudication of such claims; and also to report to this department what measures may appear to you necessary to protect the rights of all parties upon said reservation as well as the interests of the United States; trusting that Congress at its next session will adopt such legislation as may be necessary to confirm the acts done by you in the meantime and provide for a due compensation for your services. In view of the fact that fears are entertained that serious difficulties may arise between the conflicting claimants to portions of said tract, you are requested to enter upon the discharge of the task above indicated at as early a day as possible, and that such steps shall be taken by you as may be necessary to preserve the present status of the claimants until their rights are finally

Ex-GOVERNOR HENDRICKS, of Indiana, who is making a brief visit to this city, on his way to the University of Virginia, at Charlottsville, where he is invited to address the students at the annual commencement, is the guest of Major Thomas P. Morgan, Superintendent of Police, whose wife is a cousin of Mrs. Hendricks', and to day called at Police headquarters for a social chat and to look into the police system of the District. He leaves to-morrow for Virginia.

THE WILL OF THE LATE DON MANUEL DE FREYRE, (Peruvian minister,) was fully proven and admitted to probate to-day. He leaves his estate amounting to over \$100,000 nearly all n South America to his widow and children. No letters testamentary will issue in this District, but a transcript of the entire record will be sent to Peru, where the estate will be administed upon. The papers were presented to the Register (Col. Webster) about 11 o'clock to-day, and the will being written in Spanish it was found necessary that a translation be made at once. This was done, and the deposition of witnesses taken in open court, with the exception of the widow, who being too indisposed to come down made her deposition at her residence, and the papers were all com-pleted by 1 o'clock. Mr. John Selden acted as counsel for the widow. The minister leaves \$40,000 and an investment of \$11,000, in this country, to his wife; \$12,000 to each of four legitimate children, and \$4,000 to each of three

GEN. MACKENZIE'S OFFICIAL ACCOUNT OF HIS RAID.-General Mackenzie, in a telegraphic report of his recent raid into Mexico, which has just been received at the War office says that his command returned safe; that they accomplished nothing on account of the inefficiency and sickness of his guides. A force of Mexican regulars crossed his path twice, each time refusing to render assistance in pursuing the raiders. The officer in command of the Mexicans states that he had orders to obstruct the passage of American troops through Mexican territory, but he failed to attack Mackenzie. The latter says that he does not blame the Mexicans for not attacking him, for the reason that he was too well prepared, and this was fully known to the Mexican commander.

LABOR AND WAGES IN GERMANY .- The consul at Brunswick sends to the Department of State a report of labor and wages in his district of Northern Germany. He divides la-bor into three classes: Mechanics and skilled artisans of all kinds, who receive from 48 to 88 cents a day; ordinary laborers, including farm and field hands, who receive from 40 to 64 cents a day, without board; and railway hands, laborers on public works, and the like, who get from 44 to 60 cents a day. A laborer's family of husband, wife and three children, can live very comfortable on 900 mark, (about \$215) per annum, and if steady work offers can make both ends meet. In most cases the wife and elder children contribute to the general support by performing other work which is easily found in Brunswick. Trade is especially dull in that district; work of many kinds is readily obtainable, but workmen are not content to take such work. tent to take such work as offers, or at offered prices. The Socialist party is responsible for this state of things. The rapid development of German trade and the success of German arms in 1870-72 led the laborer to believe his position would thenceforth be one of ease and affuence; and when the commercial reaction came, the working classes, now grown accustomed to luxuries before unknown, became discontented and indisposed to work,

THE POTTER INVESTIGATION. Gen. Butler Cross-examines Gen.

Boynton. After our report of the proceedings before Potter's committee closed yesterday, Gen. Boynton was closely cross-examined by Gen. Butler, the latter apparently trying to draw from the witnesss the admission that the President told him that Anderson had been appointed consul at Funchal, because he was possession of political secrets which it was better to have kept quiet than made public. There was quite a sharp passage between the

witness and his cross-examiner as will be seen by the annexed report:

By Gen. Butler—Q. Have you not said this substantially, that you asked the President how he came to make the appointment of such a man, against whom such charges were made, and he said he was possessed of some political secrets? Didn't you use the words "political secrets?" A. No, sir, I did not. I am absolutely certain I did not say so to anybody. The words "political secrets" were never used by the President, and I do not think I ever used the words in speaking to anybody of it.

Q. Have you never used these words in speaking of it, that the President said he was appointed "on account of matters not best to known?" A. No. sir, I have not; and I want you to understand that I do not propose to make any answer here that will reflect upon the President of the United States.
Q. Why not, if it is the truth? A. I will tell you why, because I propose to state exactly

Q. Have you given any person whatever to understand that the President said to you or gave you to understand that Anderson was possessed of some political knowledge that it was not best to have made public? A. No, sir, and the President did not say anything of the kind. Q. Please state what reason the President did give for this appointment? A. His statement was to the effect that this man had been a good republican, and had done good republican service in Louisiana; that was the substance of it.

what took place, and not give half-way an-

swers which may reflect upon the President of

the United States. I have told in substance all

that took place between the President and

Mr. Cox objected to the course taken by the democratic members of the committee. He said there seemed to be a desire to argue things and put dates together as though it was determined that it should be declared before the public, step by step, that a part of this committee have convicted the President from the beginning. Mr. Butler denied, as far as he was con-

cerned, any such imputation, and stated that he was not to be affected in his course by the glamour of office, but would deal with men, however high or low they might be, indiffer-ently, and would not put a question concern-ing the President of the United States that he would not put concerning the humblest in lividual in the country. After further discussion the examination of the witness was continued as follows: By Mr. But'er:-Q. Haven't you stated to anybody that the President said to you that because Anderson had some knowledge of political affairs in Louisiana that it was necessary, convenient or proper that his appointment should be made? A. Not to my recollec-

done so. Q. Have you stated that in substance as what the President said? A. I may have done Q. Did you state it truly? A. I stated i truly as it remained in my mind, and I wish to say right here that I repelall insinuations that I have not told the truth at all times, and if necessary I shall protect myself against such imputations. The rest of this committee are gentlemen, and have treated me as such, but General Butler is a rowdy, and if the com-

tion. I may have conveyed that impression to

several people, but as to stating it as the words of the President I am confident I never have

mittee will not protect me I will protect my-By Mr. Butler:-(). You have been on inti mate terms with the President of late? A. No, sir: I do not think I have been at the White House more than half a dozen times since President Hayes' inauguration. I was out with the President riding for about five hours on this day when we had the conversation I have detailed, but I never have had as long a conversation with him since. The President talked freely to me on that occasion. I was criticising some of the appointments about which he asked me. Q. When did you first hear of the existence of the Matthews letter? A. Last September, from Mr. Gibson, of the New York Sun. Q. When did you first hear of the supposed Sherman letter? A. About the same time; it was a mere matter of newspaper talk.

Q. Where were you when the McVeagh commission went down to Louisiana? A. I was in Washington. Mr. Cox.—I desire to take the sense of the committee as to whether we propose to go into the question of the doings of the McVeagh commission in April, 1877, or whether we have authority to do so under the resolution of Congress under which we are acting. The committee then, on motion of Mr. McMahon, at 3:45 p. m., went into secret session to consider this and other matters connected with the workings of the committee, and shortly after adjourned.

To-Day's Proceedings. The Potter committee met this morning at 11:15 o'clock.

and asked if she had the letters she promised to give the committee. She said she had not; that they had not arrived, and that she did not know if they would be of value when they came. Q. When did you see Mrs. Dan Weber last?

A. A few days before I left for Washington. I was requested to take a note to her by General

Sheldon. I saw the note; it was open. It read, "Please come to New Orleans, and Mrs. Jenks will explain. Q. Did you know for what purpose Mrs. Weber was wanted in New Orleans? A. I have not the remotest idea. When I got to Donaldsonville Mrs. Weber said that Anderson had said I had got \$100,000 for some document. I said it was false. I asked her to go and see Gen. Sheldon. Q. Was Mrs. Weber requested by you or by

Gen. Sheldon to make a statement under oath? A. I never requested such a statement; I only remained with her one hour. Witness said that Mrs. Weber did not re turn with her to New Orleans, Q. What reason did she make for not returning? A. She said she did not want to hear anything more about "the document;" that she did not have it. Q. Isn't it true that Gen. Sheldon requested you to ask Mrs. Weber to come to New Orleans and make a statement with reference to the Sherman letter? A. He did not so state to me. Witness denied that she knew Col. Otis of Indianapolis or that she had ever had a con-

versation with him with reference to the Sherman letter. Further examination of the witness dis-closed the fact that Gen. Sheldon wanted Mrs. Weber to come to Washington, and witness was sent with the note in person to make this explanation to her. GEN BOYNTON WAS RECALLED with reference to corrections of his testi

mony of yesterday. The corrections made were immaterial. GEN. BUTLER CROSS-EXAMINES GEN. BOYN-TON. Gen. Butler then asked Gen. Boynton if he remembered conversing with any one on the subject of Anderson's appointment last July on the corner of Corcoran and 15th streets, in

this city? Witness replied that he did not. Q. Did you say in that conversation "This confirms what the President told me. I had seen a statement in a paper about Anderson and saw the President about it, and the Presi dent said 'we' or 'he' had to appoint him?'
A. I am sure I did not say that. Witness depied that he had said that all the fellows down there [meaning Louisiana] who did the dirty work came up here and got of-fices, and that the President had said "I had to appoint him(Anderson) to keep him quiet.' Where were you at the time the McVeigh commission went to New Orleans? A. I was in Washington, and I think, I was here the day they returned.
Witness said he talked with Gen. Hawley and Gen. Harlan when they returned from Louisiana; had a talk with Gen. Harlan before he went to Louisiana. Q. Did Gen. Harlan say anything to you about his possible candidature for a place on the Supreme bench? A. He did; it was un derstood that he was a candidate for the Supreme bench vacancy. The day before Har-lan went to Louisiana he said to me: "I want

you to find out for me, if you can, while we

are in New Orleans, if Gen. Bristow is a can-didate for the place." He said if Gen. Bris-

tow was not a candidate he thought it possible that the commission would be able to re lieve the President of the embarrassing Louisiat Montgomery, Alabama, yesterday. The fire originated from some one stepping on a ana question, and that he would be appointed on the bench-that is, that such a solution of the question would promote his candidacy for parlor match in the cottage press building. The Ocean View hotel, near Norfolk, Va.. was Q. Did you have any other conversation with burned Sunday night, it is supposed, by incenhim with reference to the Associate Justice-

ship? A. Yes, sir He came into my office when he came back from New Orleans. I told him I had been unable to find out whether Gen. Bristow was a candidate or not, but that it was the impression of some of his friends that he would accept the place if it was offer-

Q. What did he say? A. He simply accepted that as the information I had obtained for him and said he (Harlan) would be a candidate for Q. Did he say anything about his success at Louisiana at that time? A. Not a word-in connection with his candidacy for the su

Preme court vacancy.
Witness said he had written to Gen. James H. Wilson, Bluford Wilson and Gen. Wharton to find out if Bristow was a candidate. Q. Have you now a recollection that you have stated that Gen. Harlan expected his work in Louisiana to help him in his canvass for the supreme court vacancy. A. I don't remember any particular occasion or any particular person I spoke to on this subject. I have spoken and written to several of Bristow's friends.

Witness said that on one occasion he told Gen. Harlan that Gen. Butler would investigate the charge that \$15,000 or \$16,000 had been used to accomplish the break up of the Packard legislature. Harlan replied he knew of no money being used—there had been some trouble with reference as to how the employes of the Packard legislature should receive their pay-Harlan said he went to see Nichols friends, and they said a fund which had been raised to put the Nichols government on its feet would be used to pay these employes.

EX-MARSHAL PITKIN OF LOUISIANA was sworn. He said that he had a conversation with Anderson with reference to the protest he made as supervisor of East Feliciana parish. Witness then read a long statement he had prepared on the subject. It recited that Anderson had prepared a protest in his (Pitkin's) office, and although it was not in legal form, it was accepted for what it was worth. The protest set forth that there had been intimidation in East Feliciana, that is, he had heard of it, but did not personally wit-

Witness said that the position Weber is put in by the evidence of Anderson in no wise comports with the man; that he (witness) never conferred one single minute with Weber with reference to any protest. Witness also stated that he met Anderson last July, in Wilard's hotel, at which time he said he had Stanley Matthews in a tight place. Anderson read two or three letters and a telegram from Stanley Matthews, of a very compromising nature. He also showed witness the Anderson-Weber agreement. Witness said: "Anderson, this is false." Anderson also then told witness of the Sherman letter. Witness said that he had frequently said, in conversation with friends, that by Matthews' writing to Anderson he (Matthews) had completely unmasked himself. Witness said he told Ander-son "that he did not care to pelt Mr. Matthews with epistolary mud or pellets."

Gen. Butler asked Mr. Pitkin if he ever saw Mrs. Jenks in New Orleans and asked her about the Sherman letter. He said he did not recall the fact, but it is not unlikely he did

Q. Do you remember what Mrs. Jenks' answer was? A. I cannot, for I do not remember | youth. the interview. Have seen Mrs. Jenks twice during the past month or two in New Orleans. I showed her an article in the New Orieans Democrat which said that Mrs. Jenks had a photographed copy of the letter. She laughed Mr. Hiscock objected to the witness pro-

Witness resuming, she laughed and said,

cerding.

"How little the newspaper knows." Then I addressed her the same inquiry, with relation to the letter, and she laughed and said it had never left the city of New Orleans. Pitkin said that he met Anderson once in Philadelphia, after the conversation he had with him at Willard's hotel. I wrote to him asking him about the letters, and he referred me to Mr. Sypher, his attorney. When I met him in Philadelphia the Senatorial contest between Kellogg and Spofford was pending, but I said nothing to Anderson on that subject. Q. Do you remember about having an interview once with Senator Conkling, when Mr. Sypher was present, and you spoke of the Anderson protest? Did not Mr. Sypher state to you in the presence of Senator Conkling how that protest came to be made. A. I believe that he did; he went all over the cases. If there were blank spaces in Anderson's protest, I cannot say: I read the document only

ling at that interview a coherent account of the Matthews letter, and I believe promised to either furnish him with copies or the originals. I think I said these letters ought to be serviceable, and that Mr. Matthews might be held by the bridle. Witness was asked how much it cost to bring witnesses to New Orleans to make affidavits during the pendancy of the action of the returning board. He said he could not tell. Q. Do you know of any witness being paid for by the government to testify on the democratic side. A. I do not remember that there was. The democrats paid for their witnesses out of their own pockets. The republican witnesses were summoned by the chief supervisor of elections, and I paid them on his warrant out of the government funds.

The examination of the witness was in pro-

superficially. Mr. Sypher gave Senator Conk-

gress when our report closed. PRACTICE CRUISE OF THE CONSTELLATION .-The following officers having been detached from the Naval Academy, are ordered to command the practice ship Constellation upon her annual summer cruise, with the cadet midshipmen, on her arrival from Havre, France: commander, Henry L. Howison; lieutenant commander C. V. Evidley, as executive officer; lieutenant commander, Chas. J. Train; lieutenants, Wm. H. Emory and R. C. Derby; masters, H. O. Rittenhouse, Geo. L. Dyer, Aaron Ward, and W. P. Clason; ensign, A. C. Hodgson; chaplain, R. Hudson; boatswain, C. E. Hawkins and Emmer R. Summers. The Constellation is expected to arrive about July

TENNESSEE MOONSHINE. - Commissioner Raum to-day received the following telegram from Collector Woodcock, at Nashville, Tenn.: From the 16th to the 20th instant my special deputies destroyed the property in nine illicit distilleries in Putnam county. Seven men were bound over on warrants and eight on capias in the same time.

RAILROAD ELECTION .- The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Michigan Central Railroad was held in Detroit yesterday. The following directors were chosen: William H. Vanderbilt, Augustus Schell, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Samuel F. Barger, William K. Vanderbilt, of New York, Ansen Stager, of Chicago, Ashley Pond, of Detroit, William L. Scott, of Erie, Pa., and Edwin D. Worcester, of Albany. Fifteen millions of stock was voted, out of a total of eighteen millions, of which the Vanderbilt ticket received about ten millions and the Taylor ticket five mil-

THE OREGON ELECTION-Official Figures .-Full election returns for member of Congress give Whitaker, democrat, 16,554; Hines, republican, 15,384; Campbell, independent, 930. For Governor, Beekman, rep., 16,009; Thayer, dem., 16,063; Wilkins, ind., 1,353. Secretary of State, Earhart, rep., 16,146; Reams, dem., 15,852; Cates, ind., 1,289. Treasurer, Hirsch, rep., 16.555: Brown, dem., 15,493; Sutherlin, ind., 726. State Printer, Carter, rep., 16,160; Noltner, dem., 15,663: Craig, ind., 1,298. Superintendent of Public Instruction, Powell, rep., 15,951; Stiles, dem., 15,918; Parker, ind., 1,108. Piogenes Butler (internally)-Mrs. Jenks

are.-[Boston Post. SENATOR MERRIMON reached his home at Raleigh, N. C., on Friday night, and was proceed ing to respond to a welcome from his fellowcitizens, when he was taken suddenly ill with cholera morbus and taken to his residence and medical aid summoned. General Thomas L. ingman was then called out by the assemblage, and denounced the efforts of the Vance men to have the nominees for the Legislature gledged to Governor Vance for Senator.

you know you

FLOPEMENT.-Friday evening the wife of Jerome Ludwig left her home in Pottstown, Pa., taking with her \$500 belonging to her husband. On Saturday night Oscar Eschback followed her, and it is said the eloping pair joined each other at Harrisburg and started

TEN BROECK AND MOLLIE MCCARTHY. telegram from Louisville, June 23, says: Ten Broeck and Mollie McCarthy both worked a little Saturday. The mare made her two miles in 3:37½. Ten Broeck could not be timed, as Rollo Colston, who is assisting Harry to train him. rendered it impossible. Two Fires.-Hunter & O'Connell's cotton press, and the Planters' warehouse adjoining, with over 1,000 bales of cotton, were burned

The Acklen-Rosser Affair.

CARD FROM REPRESENTATIVE ACKLEN. A New Orleans dispatch says:-Hon. J. H. Acklen, member of Congress from the 3d district of Louisiana, has made the following statement:-" The story that Gen. Rosser as-saulted me in Welcker's restaurant because of an offered indignity to a lady is infamously false, and I cannot believe the story ever manated from him. I left Washington on Thursday evening, 20th inst. The slander was utblished in the Washington Evening STAR on Friday, the 21st just, and did not come to my knowledge until the night of the 25d. Being unaware of Gen. Rosser's whereabouts, promptly telegraphed to various points to secure his refutation of this assault. As yet I have failed to reach him, but an explicit denial has been made by competent parties in Washington. No effort will be spared to set this matter right, and, if necessary, I shall return at once to Washington for that purpose.

GEN. ROSSER HAS NOTHING TO SAY. A dispatch from St. Paul, Minn., June 24, says:—Gen. J. L. Rosser arrived in this city Saturday, in performance of his duty as chief engineer of the Northern Pacific railway. He efuses to be interviewed in relation to the Acklen affair. He leaves to-morrow on an engineering trip to the Red river valley. Gen. Rosser distinctly stated that he made no mention of the affair to anybody, and would make none. It was strictly a private and personal matter. Publicity, he said, comes from some other quarter.

The Popular Verdict.

Alexandria Sunday Bulletin, June 23, 1878. We consider THE WASHINGTON STAR, for the general reader, the very best paper printed at the National Capital. The weekly edition is a library of varied and interesting reading.

GEN. SHERMAN'S SON BECOMES A JESUIT. The Are Maria, a Roman Catholic journal says: "From a private letter to one of the friends of the family we learn that Mr. Thomas Ewing Sherman, eldest son of Lieuenant General Sherman, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Armies, sailed from New York on the 5th instant for England. with the intention of entering there the Novitiate of the Society of Jesus. Mr. Sherman, now entering on the twenty-second year of his age, is a young man of scholarly attainments, and has taken his present resolve only after mature consideration and with the consent of his parents. Having asked his father's permission, the latter informed him that as much as he disliked the separation, he could not refuse his request. He had always shown himself a datiful and affectionate son, and his happiness could not fail to supersede any selfish or human impulse in the hearts of his parents. Mr. Sherman began his studies early in boyhood at Notre Dame, Indiana; when his family removed to Washington he entered the Jesuit University at Georgetown, D. C., where he graduated with honors; thence went to Yale College for a course of law, which he finished at the University of St. Louis, Missouri. He has chosen England in preference to the home branches of the society, as he is likely to meet with less distraction in his chosen career among strangers than here among his friends and the companions of his

BANK BOOKS BADLY MIXED.-Capt. E. P. Boas, late cashier of the defunct Reading (Pa.) Savings Bank, testified yesterday before the register. The books showed large credits, ranging from \$500 to \$200,000, in Boas' individual account. In response to questions as to where he got such amounts his replies would be: "There is a charge to balance that credit," or "It was improperly charged to my account." When the question rectly, "Was this your money?" When the question was put directly, "Was this your money?" he would reply, "It was the bank's money." The jumble of items in Boas' accounts are a perfect mystery. Among the bad assets of the bank he stated were \$60,000 in Berks county railroad bonds, and \$183,000 of Texas Pacific railroad bonds, and \$74,205 due by his brother-in-law, Capt. W. S. McManus.

HUNTER, THE ALLEGED MURDERER, TESTI-FIES IN HIS OWN BEHALF. - At the trial in Camden, N. J., yesterday, of Benj. Hunter. for the murder of Armstrong, the music printer, Hunter himself took the witness stand He testified that up to June 1, 1875, he was Armstrong's silent partner, and had \$5,000 in vested in the business; that he at first only in tended to take out a policy of life insurance on Armstrong for \$6,000, but Armstrong per suaded him to make it \$26,000, giving as a reason that if he (Armstrong) were to die all his ereditors would come in and his family would suffer, Armstrong also offering to pay part of the premiums. Hunter denied alto gether having anything to do with the murder

THE APPROACHING HENLEY REGATTA in England promises to be an event that will be most interesting, and the results will be watched for with anxiety on both sides of the Atlantic. The Columbia and She-wae-cae mette crews will compete for the Steward's challenge cup, as will also the Kingston, the London and the Jesus College crew of Cambridge University. For the visitors' challenge cup the Columbia crew will compete with the Lady Margaret, the First Trinity and the Jesus College crews. For the diamond challenge cup the entries are Geo. W. Lee, of the Triton club, of Newark, N. J.; Lee, of the Union club, of Boston : Cholmely, of the Kington Rowing club; Barker, of the Cambridge University; Edwardes Moss (the present holder of the prize); J. Lowndes, of the Oxford University, and Messrs. Payne. Maulsey and Chillingworth, of the Ino Rowing club.

Moses A. Wheelock's Sad End.-Moses A. Wheelock, who for 25 years last past had depended for his support and that of his family, mainly upon the salary he earned as an officer of the Stock Exchange, shot himself through the head at his residence yesterday. Since he finally lost his office as chairman of the exchange, on May 13 last, he had been wandering about Wall street or haunting the exchange, or sitting gloomily at his desk in No. 13 Wall street, the ghost of his former self. He was fermerly noted for his upright, stiff bearing, handsome head and keen eyes; but lately he stooped, his face was haggard and wrinkled, and he was drinking hard. On Saturday, just before the closing of the exchange, at 30 clock, a World reporter saw him walking slowly up Wall street, with his head bowed. "Poor Mose," said a friendly broker, "I won-der what he will do for a living. He seems utterly lost since that disappointment at the election. I shouldn't wonder if he committed

suicide."-[N. Y. World, 24th. THE RUSSIAN CRUISERS.-The vessels purchased at Philadelphia by the Russian agents. are to be renamed when completed. The State of California will be called "Europe," the Columbus will be known as "Asia," the Saratoga as "Africa" and the new vessel now building

as "America." THE CRUELTY of which a Wisconsin wife complains, in her suit for divorce, is that her husband tied her securely and shaved her head. The defence is that she bleached her black hair to lemon color by the use of acid, and that he, deeming such a thing highly scandalous, took the only means of undoing what she had done. He says that he bought a wig for her, imitating her natural hair, so that her bare head might be concealed while nature was remedying the disfiguration.

THE six-oared barge Linda, of the Bachelor Barge Club, of Philadelphia, started from that city yesterday for New York.

THE suspension of W. B. Voorhis, an old member of the New York Stock Exchange, is announced, his embarrassment growing out of shrinkage in values of real estate.

THERE WAS A 100 YARD FOOT RACE for \$500 and the championship of the United States, yesterday, near Philadelphia, between C. M. Davis, of Chicago, the western champion, and F. Rogers, of Trenton, the eastern champion. Davis allowed one yard start. Davis won by over two yards, in 10% seconds.

THE COAL COMBINATION.—At a monthly meeting of the board of control of coal producers in New York, yesterday, all interests being represented, one and a-half millions tonnage was agreed upon as the production for July.

THE BOARD of officers appointed by the President to reopen the cases of Surgeon Gen-eral Hammond and Major General Fitz John Porter convened yesterday at West Point.

Something more delicate than the micro phone must be invented for Tilden's footbail .-Louisville Courier-Journal Sho-wae-cae-mette," the name adopted by the American boat crew abroad, is Indian for "Lightning in the water." It has been found necessary to destroy

twelve couples of Lord Galway's pack of fox nounds in consequence of an outbreak of hy-

drophobia. One of the kennel men was bit-The petition of Jacob Huntzinger, defaulting president of the Pottsville (Pa.) Miners' bank, for a writ of habeas corpus, was refused by the supreme court, at Harrisburg, yesterday. Huntzinger is now serving his sentence for embezzlement.

Telegrams to The Star.

THE RESTAURANT SCANDAL.

LAWLESSNESS IN INDIANA. THE DYING QUEEN OF SPAIN.

THE BOOTH SENSATION.

EUROPE TO DAY. Greece and the Congress. LONDON, June 25.-The Greek representatives have received no notice that the congress has decided to admit them, and it is supposed that the final decision of the question is reserved until the questions affecting Greece are

taken up for discussion.

The Dying Queen of Spain. LONDON, June 25.—Special dispatches from Madrid say: "Queen Mercedes seemed quieter and progressing favorably Sunday evening, but about 2 o'clock Monday morning she grew rapidly worse, and the ministers of the ernment and principal functionaries of the municipality were summoned to the palace. The physicians declared that the Queen's life was in danger, and Cardinals Moreno and Benovides administered the sacraments, and the nuncio pronounced the papal benediction. During the day the patient was tranquil, but gradually became weaker. She retained con-sciousness and conversed with her parents and King Alphonso, who is deeply affected. There was to have been a grand celebration of

throughout the city. Masses are said every hour in the churches. Bulietins are issued to the people every three hours. AFFAIRS IN INDIANA. National Nominations for Congress. EVANSVILLE, IND., June 25.—The nationals of the First district have nominated Thomas F. Debruner for Congress.

the Queen's eighteenth birthday on Monday.

Great grief and sympathy are expressed

Lawlessness in Gibson County. Owensville, Gibson county, has of late been the scene of several terrible conflicts between outlaws and citizens, the last occurring last night. The attempt was made upon the life of Andrew G. Montgomery, who has taken a prominent part in exposing and bringing to punishment members of the lawless band. Mr. Montgomery had been in Owensyille and was recurning to his farm when he was attacked by several masked men. He was armed and neceeded in wounding one of his assailants. A dozen bullets entered Mr. Montgomery's clothing, and one of them grazed his hips, the only wound he received. The whole neighborhood is aroused, and a hundred men are now

A Battle with the Red Skins.

scouring the country in search of the outlaws.

THE INDIAN WAR.

San Francisco, June 2 .- A special dispatch from Silver City says the advance troops of Gen. Howard attacked the hostile Indians on Sunday, forty-five miles from Harney. Ber nard bore the brunt of the engagement which, it is reported, took place at Curry Creek Howard has sent all the troops possible to the front. Colonel Robbins and two soldiers were killed. Couriers rode 200 miles to furnish Howard news of the battle and asking for reinforcements. Major Egbert, at Camp Lyons, has been ordered to protect the Winnemucea road and give battle to the hostiles fleeing in the direction of Owyhee. The probabilities are that the hostiles have met with a severe

THE RESTAURANT SCANDAL. Rosser to Acklen.

NEW YORK, June 25 .- A special from New Orleans says that Congressman J. H. Acklen has received the following telegram from Gen. Rosser in regard to the recent scandal in which these two gentlemen so prominently figured: "I made no statements to the newspapers

concerning you. Have not seen the National

Republican nor the extracts from it, and am not responsible for what it has published, which surely must be false." Tremendous Boiler Explosion. HARRISBURG, PA., June 25.-Four large poilers in the puddling mills of the Chesapeake Nail Works exploded between 3 and 4 o'clock this morning with tremendous force. The mill was almost entirely demolished Chambers Bowenmasten, a foreman, was hor ribly mangled and instantly killed. Neis, John Hess, Geo. Frank and John Het-rick were badly scalded and injured by the flying debris. One of the boilers was carried over an adjoining mill 65 feet in height and landed in a field about 350 feet from the scene of the explosion. Another was blown through the top of the mill into a brick warehouse; a third was carried into another warehouse badly damaging the building, and the fourth boiler was entirely torn to pieces. The less is

Operations can be resumed in these depart ments in a week or ten days. No cause can be assigned for the accident. The Funeral of the Late Mayor Kane. Baltimore, June 25.—The funeral of the late Mayor George P. Kane, from St. Ignatius Roman Catholic church, this morning, was at tended by the city council, corporation offi cers, Hibernian Society, (of which he was pre sident many years,) two hundred policemen fire department, and Fifth Regiment M. N. G The services at the church were most impres sive. A solemn requiem mass was sung, and an oration delivered by Rev. W. F. Clarke, 8 J., and Archbishop Gibbons closed the services with the Absolution. The remains were

estimated at from \$12,000 to \$15,000. The nair

and plate mill was but slightly damaged.

taken to the Bonnie Brae cemetery and placed in a vault. Another Kick at a Dead Lie. LEWISTON, ME., June 25,-Rev. Dr. Chener informs a reporter of the Journal that he dis tinctly remembers meeting Speaker Randall on a steamer en route from Washington to Richmond, Va., on the day before Lincoln's assassination, and that on the day after Lincoln's assassination Randall came from Richmond to Petersburg, when Cheney again conversed with him, and informed him of Lincoln's assassination, thus confirming Randall's

denial of the Washington dinner party story CATSKILL, N. Y., June 25.—The report of the burning of the Catskill Mountain House, which was current at New York last night was wrong. There has been no fire at the nonse nor within 10 miles of it. The fire seen from Tivoli was burning brush.

A Crazy Divine. NEW YORK, June 25.-Rev. Dr. John Dowling, a well known Baptist divine, and author of the "History of Romanism," has been sent to an insane asylum. His malady is caused by a fall similar to that which caused the death of William Cullen Bryant.

Fire. CINCINNATI, O., June 25.—A special dispatch says that a fire in Landen, Cedar county, Iowa, yesterday, destroyed nearly all the business houses in the town. Loss \$75,000 to \$100,000; partially insured.

The Markets. BALTIMORE, June 25. - Virginia sixes, old. 25; BALTIMORE, June 25.—Virginia sixes, eld. 25; do. deferred, 4½; do. consolidated, 60½; do. second series, 28; past due coupons, 82; North Carolina sixes, old, 16; do. new, 8 bid to-day. Sugar steady and unchanged.

BALTIMORE, June 25.—Cotton dull and steady—middling, 11½. Figur more active and unchanged, Wheat, southern choice grades scarce and firm, others dull; western dull, weak and lower—southern red, choice, 1.15a1.18; do. amber, 1.20; Pennsylvania red, 1.16a1.17; No. 2 western winter red, spot, 1.11 bld; June, 1.10 bld; July, 1.02½a1.03; August and September, 1.00. Corn, southern scarce and firm; western dull, weak and

southern scarce and firm: western dull, weak and lower—southern white, 57; do, yellow, 49%; western mixed, spot June and July, 45%; August, 46%; September, 47%; steamer, 39. Oats firm and higher—southern, 32a35; western white, 35; do, mixed, 33; Pennsylvania, 30:32. Rye dull and nominal. Hay steady, firm and unchanged. Pronominal. Hay steady, firm and unchanged. Provisions strong and unchanged. Butter unchanged. Petroleum quiet-refined, 11 111%; crude, 949%. Coffee dull and unchanged. Whisky firmer, 169. Receipts—flour, 2,200; wheat, 25,000; corn, 91,000; oats, 2,500. Shipments—corn, 85,000. Freights to Liverpool per steamer quiet and unchanged. NEW YORK, June 25.—Stocks irregular. Money, 2 and 3. Gold. 100%: 100% bid. Exchange, long, 485%; short, 487%. Governments steady. NEW YORK. June 25.—Flour dull and in buyers' favor. Wheat 1 and 2 cents lower and dull. Corn a shade firmer and moderately active.

LONDON. June 25, 4 p. m.—U. 8, four-and-a-half per cent. bonds, 105%; 1867's, 107%; new fives, 108%. Hitneis Central, 85%.

A MOST EXTRAORDINARY WOMAN, giving the name of Mrs. Lucas, turns up in Cincin-nati. It has been her wont to entice men to her room in a hotel, compell them to disrobe at the point of a revolver, pitch their clothing out of the window, and then make them pay handsomely in consideration of her reclaim-ing their dry goods. She had a boy regularly engaged to return the clothing. On the 26th instant she thus extorted from an old man, named W. B. Dennis, a check for \$1,000 and his watch and chain. She also compelled him to sign a statement to the effect that he had attempted to commit an assault on her. Subsequent developments disclose the fact that she had successfully practiced this game on four

THE SAN ELIZARIO ASSASSINS .- Desidero A. Poduca, who commanded the firing party in December last when Howard, Atkinson, and December last when Howard, Atkinson, and McBride were executed, during the troubles at San Elizario, Texas, has been captured by the state troops. The other leaders are known to be in the mountains on the Mexican side with the exception of Chico Borelo, who is in Chihuahua. The Mexican authorities have replied to a demand for the extradition of the latter, who was the chief of the mob, but the reply has been lost in the malls. It is known it was evasive.

or five other parties.

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